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PART IV.

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

Season Report for the Week ending with the 15th Saturday in 1912 (13th April 1912).

	District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday								Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
		This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1912							
						This year		Average of past ten years'		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5			
	1	2		3		4		5		6		7	
		I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		
BANGALORE.	Bangalore C. & M. Station	...	...	...	...	1	25	...	...	...	...		
	,, City & Taluk	...	...	...	26	1	75	1	73	+ 0	02		
	Hoskote	...	...	...	11	...	...	1	05	— 1	05		
	Dodballapur	...	...	...	25	...	14	1	28	— 1	14		
	Nelamangala	...	...	...	35	...	...	1	17	— 1	17		
	Kankanhalli	...	...	...	32	...	25	1	39	— 1	14		
	Magadi	...	...	...	19	...	...	...	78	— 0	78		
	Channapatna	...	...	...	31	1	45	1	20	+ 0	25		
	Anekal	...	...	...	29	2	10	1	25	+ 0	85		
	Devanhalli	...	...	...	21	1	48	1	60	— 0	12		
	Closepet	...	...	...	23	1	31	1	15	+ 0	16		
	District average...	...	...	...	25	...	85	1	26	— 0	41		
KOLAR.	Kolar	...	...	...	08	...	76	...	73	+ 0	03		
	Bowringpet	...	...	...	15	...	...	...	72	— 0	72		
	Chintamani	...	...	...	06	...	05	...	77	— 0	72		
	Mulbagal	...	...	...	14	...	...	1	07	— 1	07		
	Sidlaghatta	...	...	...	05	...	90	...	68	+ 0	22		
	Chikballapur	...	...	...	16	...	48	1	18	— 0	70		
	Bagepalli	...	...	...	13	...	14	...	48	— 0	34		
	Goribidnur	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	58	— 0	58		
	Malur	...	...	...	19	...	50	1	...	— 0	50		
	Srinivaspur	...	...	...	14	...	...	1	13	— 1	13		
	Gudibanda	...	...	...	04	...	30	...	47	— 0	17		
	District average...	...	...	...	11	...	29	...	80	— 0	51		
TUMKUR.	Tumkur	...	...	...	36	...	12	1	34	— 1	22		
	Maddagiri	...	...	...	07	...	65	...	55	+ 0	10		
	Chiknayakanhalli	...	...	...	09	1	24	...	79	+ 0	45		
	Sira	...	...	...	09	...	32	...	62	— 0	30		
	Gubbi	...	...	...	37	...	89	...	78	+ 0	11		
	Tiptur	...	...	...	05	3	01	...	33	+ 2	68		
	Pavagada	...	...	...	09	1	...	...	41	+ 0	59		
	Kunigal	...	...	...	34	...	...	...	76	— 0	76		
	Koratagere	...	...	...	13	...	50	...	71	— 0	21		
	Turuvekere	...	...	...	08	...	60	...	60	...	...		
	District average ...	...	...	...	17	...	83	...	69	+ 0	14		

	This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
	Seers	Seers	Seers
Rice, 2nd sort.	6·50	6·50	8·27
Ragi	14·00	14·00	15·59
Kulthi	15·75	15·75	...
Kadale	8·00	8·00	9·13
Rice, 2nd sort.	6·50	6·50	7·84
Ragi	13·00	12·75	15·37
Kulthi	15·50	15·00	...
Kadale	8·75	9·00	8·70
Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	7·97
Ragi	15·00	16·00	17·45
Kulthi	16·00	16·00	...
Kadale	10·00	10·00	8·29

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	This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1912							
					This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5			
1	2		3		4		5		6		7	
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		
MYSORE.												
Mysore ...	...	...	...	36	1	13	1	35	—	0 22		
Chamrajnagar ...	...	...	...	20	...	68	1	25	—	0 57		
Seringapatam ...	...	...	...	34	...	35	1	18	—	0 83	Rice, 2nd sort.	
Hunsur ...	...	...	...	30	...	04	...	97	—	0 93	Ragi	
Yedatore ...	...	...	...	29	...	40	...	98	—	0 58	Kulthi	
Heggaddevankote ...	...	...	...	37	...	57	1	42	—	0 85	Kadale	
Gundlupet ...	...	...	...	27	...	...	1	86	—	1 86		
Nanjangud ...	...	...	...	35	...	34	1	06	—	0 72		
T.-Narsipur ...	...	19	...	23	...	19	...	72	—	0 53		
Malvalli ...	...	...	...	27	...	20	...	88	—	0 68		
Mandya ...	...	...	...	29	...	42	1	01	—	0 59		
Krishnarajpete ...	...	...	...	43	3	44	1	18	+	2 26		
Nagamangala ...	...	...	...	16	...	93	...	89	+	0 04		
District average...	...	01	...	30	...	67	1	14	—	0 47		
HASSAN.												
Hassan ...	...	...	...	44	1	05	...	83	+	0 22		
Manjarabad (Saklespur) ...	...	...	...	25	...	35	1	10	—	0 75	Rice, 2nd sort.	
Arkalgud ...	...	15	...	20	3	61	...	84	+	2 77	Ragi	
Belur ...	...	...	...	32	...	73	1	...	—	0 27	Kulthi	
Channarayapatna ...	...	...	...	26	...	21	...	69	—	0 48	Kadale	
Arsikere ...	...	...	...	09	...	97	...	61	+	0 36		
Hole-Narsipur ...	...	...	...	53	...	97	1	23	—	0 26		
Alur ...	...	...	...	32	1	09	...	97	+	0 12		
District average...	...	02	...	30	1	12	...	91	+	0 21		
SHIMOGA.												
Shimoga ...	...	...	...	14	...	96	...	88	+	0 08		
Channagiri ...	...	...	...	01	...	91	...	30	+	0 61	Rice, 2nd sort.	
Honnali ...	...	...	...	07	...	43	...	44	—	0 01	Ragi	
Shikarpur ...	...	22	...	04	1	22	...	58	+	0 64	Kulthi	
Sorab ...	...	12	...	07	1	03	...	52	+	0 51		
Sagar ...	...	49	...	23	1	47	...	93	+	0 54		
Nagar (Kallurkatte)...	...	50	...	16	...	54	...	57	—	0 03		
Tirthahalli ...	...	57	...	10	1	41	...	73	+	0 68		
Kumsi ...	...	...	...	15	...	46	...	73	—	0 27		
District average...	...	21	...	11	...	94	...	63	+	0 31		
KADUR.												
Chikmagalur ...	...	...	...	25	1	19	1	23	—	0 04		
Kadur ...	...	...	...	11	...	63	...	65	—	0 02	Rice, 2nd sort.	
Tarikere ...	...	...	...	03	...	55	...	33	+	0 22	Ragi	
Koppa ...	1	84	...	38	2	77	1	90	+	0 87	Kulthi	
Mudgere ...	...	...	...	42	2	25	1	47	+	0 78	Kadale	
Yedahalli ...	...	...	...	30	1	20	...	88	+	0 32		
Sringeri ...	...	97	...	20	1	57	...	77	+	0 80		
District average...	...	40	...	24	1	45	1	03	+	0 42		
CHITALDRUG.												
Chitaldrug ...	...	...	...	14	...	90	...	59	+	0 31		
Challakere ...	...	...	...	07	...	15	...	38	—	0 23	Rice, 2nd sort.	
Hiriyur ...	...	...	...	17	...	...	...	62	—	0 62	Ragi	
Holalkere ...	...	...	...	16	...	05	...	72	—	0 67	Kulthi	
Davangere ...	...	08	...	12	...	68	...	20	+	0 48	Cholum	
Molakalmuru ...	...	...	...	14	1	42	...	46	+	0 96	Kadale	
Jagalur ...	...	70	...	17	...	70	...	54	+	0 16		
Hosdurga ...	...	...	...	06	2	10	...	56	+	1 54		
Haribar ...	...	...	...	16	...	63	...	62	+	0 01		
District average...	...	09	...	13	...	74	...	52	+	0 22		
Provincial average...	...	09	...	20	...	86	...	87	—	0 01		

	This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
	Seers	Seers	Seers
Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	8·81
Ragi	16·00	16·00	16·75
Kulthi	16·00	16·00	...
Kadale	11·00	11·00	9·59
Rice, 2nd sort.	7·50	8·50	8·91
Ragi	16·00	16·00	17·78
Kulthi	15·00	16·00	...
Kadale	8·00	8·00	8·49
Rice, 2nd sort.	8·25	8·25	9·95
Ragi	18·00	17·50	20·22
Kulthi	13·00	13·25	...
Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	9·00	9·56
Ragi	16·00	16·00	18·11
Kulthi	12·00	15·00	...
Kadale	8·50	9·00	9·02
Rice, 2nd sort.	7·50	7·50	8·09
Ragi	18·00	18·00	18·71
Kulthi	16·00	16·00	...
Cholum	16·00	16·00	18·03
Kadale	9·00	9·00	8·35

NOTE.—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa. Ragi—Eleusine Corocana. | Kulthi—(Horse gram) Dolichos Biflorus. Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare. | Kadale—(Bengal gram) Ciser Arietinum.

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Rice ...	7·47	7·19	Quantity by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi ...	14·17	13·40	

Agricultural operations.—Collection of manure.

Probable outturn of harvests.—Ragi, yield 8 annas.

Cattle are generally healthy. But stray cases of "Black-quarter," here and there, have been reported. Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being manured in parts of the Nelamangala, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks; and weeding operations are going on in parts of the Devanhalli Taluk.

Standing crops.—Vaisakhi paddy and sugar cane are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Sugar cane in parts of the Kankanhalli, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—

Sugar cane in parts of the Nelamangala Taluk, yield from 4 to 16 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good. Food stuffs are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for the prevalence of plague in parts of the Bangalore, Hoskote, Nelamangala, Magadi, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy in all the taluks. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing of wet lands for sugar cane in the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Standing crops are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Sugar cane in the Kolar, Bowringpet, Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur and Malur Taluks and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested and their probable outturn.—

Sugar cane in the Kolar, Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta, and Bagepalli Taluks and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield from 8 to 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fairly good. Food stuffs are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for plague in the Malur and Bagepalli Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Except for "Foot and mouth" disease in the Mulbagal and Bagepalli Taluks, cattle are reported to be healthy.